Universal Immunisation Programme (UIP) for protection against such forms of Tuberculosis.

Extraction of Crude from Chambang Oil Fields

*388- SHRI KHYOMO LOTHA: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Petro-iuem Crude is being extracted from Chamibang oil-fields in Wokha District of Nagaland;

(b) what is the quantum of crude being extracted dally and the quantum extracted from these oil fields till date;

(c) -whether any royalty is being paid to the land-owners and the Government of Nagaland; if so, what is the rats therefor; and

(d) whether the crude extracted from Chambang oil fields is carried for re ining?

THE MINISTER OF PETiROUEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) About 230 tons daily and 7.85,231 tons till 31-3-91-

(c) No payment has so far been made.

(d) Yes, Sir.

Recession of Gangotri Glacier in the Himalayas

*389. MISS SAROJ KHAPARDE: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that human activity is hastening the recession of Gangotri Glacier in the Himalayas as per a news item captioned "Human Activity wrecking glacier" which appeared in the *Times of India* dated 21st November, 1991;

(b) whether it is also a fact that a portion of the glacier crumbled in early October injuring several pilgrims; and

675 R.S.—2.

(c) if so, what remedial steps Government propose to take to save the glacier?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI KAMAL NATH): (a) Various studies have shown that the Gangotri Glacier has been showing receding as well as advancing trends since 1818- It advanced till 1936 and has receded since 1937. As per field observations made from year 1986 to the year 1991, the glacier seems to be positioned almost at the same point suggesting that presently it is in a stage of equilibrium. The effect of human activities on the recession of Gangotri Glacier is not yet established. The general global warming is expected to have some effect on the glaoier melting. The global warming is a world-wide phenomenon and it is difficult to predict future trends in regard to the glacier recession on this account.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) The following steps are proposed to be taken to protect the ecology of the Gangotri region :

(1) It is proposed to set up the Gangotri National Park under the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972.

(2) A Special Area Development Authority has been constituted by the UP Government under the Chairmanship of Commissioner, Garhwal Division, UP to look into and take remedial action in respect of the environmental issues of the area.

(3) The revised Gangotri Develop-. ment Master Plan will lay special stress on preserving the ecology and discouraging jtourism in the area.

(4) The expeditions to the Gangotri area by various organisations and individuals will be discouraged.

(5) It is proposed to restrict the building activity in the area and to continue the ban on commercial felling of trees.

(6) Use of alternate sources of energy will be encouraged so that use of wood as fuel is discouraged.

(7) There is a world-wide effort to use substitutes of Cbloro Floro Carbons (CFC's) for controlling global warming.

राष्ट्रीय मानसिक स्वास्थ्य कार्यक्रम

*390 श्री अजीत जोगी :
कुमारी आलिया :

क्या स्वास्थ्य और परिवहन कल्याण मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सातवीं पंचवर्षीय योजनावधि के दौरान एक "राष्ट्रीय मानसिक स्वास्थ्य कर्यक्रम" शुरू किया गया था ;

(ख) क्या इस कार्यक्रम को प्रभावी ढंग से कार्यान्वित करने के लिए "राष्ट्रीय सलाहकार दल" गठित किया गया था ;

(ग) यदि हां, तो इस कार्यक्रम का क्या परिणाम निकला है ;

(घ) गत तीन वर्षों के दौरान कितने लोग लाभान्वित हुए ; और

(ङ) क्या इस कार्यक्रम को आठवीं पंचवर्षीय योजनावधि के दौरान भी जारी रखे जाने की संभावना है ?

स्वास्थ्य और परिवार कल्याण मंत्री (श्री एम० एल० फोतेदार) : (क) और (ख) जी, हां ।

(ग) इस कार्यक्रम के लिए शरू किए गए मुख्य कार्यकलाप इस प्रकार हैं :—

(i) इस कार्यक्रम के अंतर्गत देश के विभिन्न भागों में प्राथमिक स्वास्थ्य परिचर्या चिकित्सकों और पराचिकित्सीयें कार्मिकों को मानसिक स्वास्थ्य के क्षेत्र में बुनियादी ज्ञान तथा कौशलों में प्रशिक्षण देने के लिए 11 क्षेत्रीय केन्द्रों/मेडिकल कालेजों का पता लगाया गया है ।

(ii) अगस्त, 1988 में एक राष्ट्रीय मानसिक स्वास्थ्य सलाहकार दल का गठन किया गया था ।

(iii) राज्य स्तर के नियोजकों और प्रशासकों तथा साथ ही चिकित्सीय और पराचिकित्सीय कार्मिकों के लिए अनेक कार्यशालाओं का आयोजन किया गया ।

(iv) प्रशिक्षकों के लिए उनके क्षेत्रों में प्राथमिक स्वास्थ्य केन्द्र स्तर के कार्यकलाप शरू करने के लिए उन्हें सहायता देने हेतु प्रशिक्षण कार्यक्रम आयोजित किए गए ।

(v) संसद द्वारा मनसिक स्वास्थ्य अधिनियम, 1987 बनाया गया है । नियमों के अंतर्गत उपर्युक्त अधिनियम को दिसम्बर, 1990 में अधिसूचित भी किया गया है ।

(vi) राष्ट्रीय मानसिक स्वास्थ्य कार्यक्रम के लिए सहायक सामग्री का विकास किया गया है और सभी राज्यों/संघ राज्य क्षत्रों को व्यापक स्तर पर उपलब्ध कराई गई है जो चिकित्सीय तथा पराचिकित्सीय कार्मिकों के लिए दिशा-निर्देशों के रूप में प्रयुक्त होगी ।

(घ) इस संबंध में कोई विश्वसनीय आंकड़े उपलब्ध नहीं हैं ।

(ङ) जी, हां ।

Heart Ailments among Women

*391- SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention (has been drawn to a news item under the caption "Woman more prone to heart ailments", which appeared in the *Hindustan Times* dated 9th November, 1991;

(to) if so, whether the heart ailments amongst women are increasing in the country day by day;